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NORTH STATE MATTERS

Newsy Items Gleaned From Murphy to Manteo.

Trains Collide.

Lexington, Special—There was a collision between two through freight trains near the depot early Thursday morning. One train had stopped on the main line when the other ran into it, smashing the caboose and several cars. Some of the train crew were shaken up, but no one seriously hurt. All trains were able to pass without delay by using the sidetrack. The wreckage was removed from the main line before noon.

State News.

The State has chartered the four largest corporations of the year; all with headquarters at Salisbury, and in each case the Whitney Company, of that place (formerly the Whitney Reduction Company), owning all the shares of stock save 20, the other owners being Pittsburg, Pa., people and E. B. C. Hambley, of Salisbury. Here are the companies: Yadkin Mines Consolidation Company, capital $1,000,000, to develop mines and mineral properties; the Yadkin Land Company, capital $1,000,000, to deal in lands and city lots; the Yadkin River Electric Power Company, capital $5,000,000 ,to develop water power of the Yadkin river in Montgomery, Stanley, Rowan, Davidson and perhaps other counties, and to deal in real estate; the Yadkin & Virginia Copper and Land Company, capital $750,000, to deal in and develop copper mines and other mineral properties and real estate.

Mr. Alfred S. Galloway, while on his way from Pelham to Dr. J. J. Keesee's store early Monday morning, found a dead negro on the railroad track near Pelham. The negro was identified as Sanford Thompson, who lived near by, and his body showed marks which indicated that he had been killed by the train. The negro attended church in Ruffin Sunday night and it is thought he had boarded a freight train to ride home. The train did not stop at Pelham, and he must have been hurled under the wheels while trying to alight. The boy was about 22 years old. Mr. Galloway notified some people of the section of his find and an inquest was held.

Mr. Alfred Rumley, who conducts a livery business at Winston, met with a painful accident Tuesday afternoon. He was driving very fast down the street and when he attempted to turn a corner his wagon struck a mail box, throwing hi mout, also the negro driver who fell on top. Mr. Rumley's nose was broken, a gash cut in his lip about an inch long and a very bad hole knocked in his forehead. The negro received no injuries at all. Mr. Rumley's injuries, though very painful, are not considered critical.

There are four counties which have not made as yet full settlements of State taxes, the fault is that of the county commissioners. In three counties in the State taxes are not collected by the sheriff, but by tax collectors, and in two of these counties there is a tax collector for every township. Halifax is one of these counties and the collection of taxes there costs the State more than it does any other county. Wayne county is behind its taxes. The bondsmen of the defaulting sheriffs have paid in some $8,500, but there is perhaps $1,000 yet due.

Quite a large surprise was sprung upon the people of Goldsboro Tuesday. It seems that a number of draymen have been stealing systematically for a long time. One was caught in the act Tuesday, and he has implicated two others. One is now in jail, the others having given bond. Three others have been arrested, charged with receiving stolen property, all of whom gave bond for their appearance. Other arrests are likely to follow. All parties are colored.

Monday while sitting in front of the fire in her home in Robinson street, in Fayetteville, Pattie Williams, a colored woman, crippled from paralysis, ignited her clothing and re ceived burns from which she died that afternoon.

Commissioner of Agriculture Patterson says the severe frosts this week have ended all growth of cotton, but that he cannot as yet judge what amount of damage these early frosts have done. The frosts this year is weeks earlier than it was last year, when November was the warmest since the Weather Bureau station was established at Raleigh.

Ten thousand people attended the Mecklenburg Fair at Charlotte on Thursday.

The attendance at the negro State Fair here Friday was a rcord-breaker, Booker Washington, of course, being the star attraction. The people came from all directions and from many counties to see him and hear him speak. An odd thing occurred. On his carriage was a national flag, with the "Union" down—the "sign of distress."

A charter is granted the Carolina & Mutual Life Insurance Company, colored, with headquarters at Raleigh, to do a life, health and accident business, J. R. Shepherd, of Durham, and S. H. Vick, of Wilson, being among the incorporators.

A charter was granted Morganton Water Works Company, capital, $100,000; stockholders W. C. Erwin, of Morganton; H. C. Pressly, of Washington, D. C., and others.

Asheville, Special.—Will Payne, of Waynesville, dropped dead in Hotel Berkley Friday night about 10 o'clock. He was standing near the radiator when all at once he reeled and fell. When friends reached him he was dead.

There have been shipped from the State arsenal to the Augusta arsenal all the old ammunition, amounting to 38,000 cartridges for the Springfield rifle. These rifles are to be sent to that arsenal as soon as the ammunition for the Krags comes.

DEAD ON PILOT.

Ghastly Scene in North Carolina Village.

Charlotte, Special.—Human blood and hair and a bright metal coffin plate were the ghastly decorations on the engine of the Southern' southbound train No. 39, when it reached this city Sunday morning. At Glass, a small station six miles north of Concord, at 9 o'clock, the engine had struck a wamon containing four inmates of the county home of Cabarrus county, and the dead body of Mrs. Kate Lewis. All the occupants of the wagon were killed, and the coffin and wagon were splintered into kindling wood.

The dead are: Miss Lou Townsend, Dan Weaver, Benjamin Tippett, John Key.

Weaver was the driver, and it is said that he was deaf. While traveling along the railroad track on their way to the burial ground, the party came to a place where the railroad track runs parallel with the main thoroughfare. When the wagon came close to a crossing, the whistle of the engine was heard, it is said, but Weaver either did not hear the whistle, and drove onto the crossing or else the two mules that were hitched to the wagon became frightened and ran on the track. At any rate, the animals crossed the track and then, losing their heads, reared up and down, refusing to morve forward.

As soon as the engine turned the curve, close to where the mules stood, Engineer Taylor Haynes, of this city, saw the team and blew the whistle. It is his opinion that the mules became frightened at the whistle and dashed on the track. But the engineer could not stop his engine in the space alloted to him, and the pilot struck the wagon just between the fore and hind wheels. The occupants of the wagon were instantly killed and fearfully mutilated. When the engine was finally stopped one of the dead men was found on the running board, the other slain were fastened to the pilot. The corpse was also on the pilot of the engine. The mules were unhurt.

Suspected Man Runs.

Charlotte, Special.—At King's Mountain Sunday night, a well-dressed stranger, small of stature and with light gray eyes and a black moustache and carrying a new grip, boarded the train. The chief of police of the town got on another car and asked for Capt. E. P. Roseborough, the conductor. He requested the conductor to learn and tell him (the chief) the destination of the stranger, telling Capt. Rosebrough he was a suspicious character, and that he was suspected of having cracked the safe of a cotton mill at Fores City a few days ago and securing $2,000 Capt. Rosebrough entered into the game and when he took the stranger's mileage he learned that the man's name was Colvert and he was going to stop at Salisbury. Shortly after the officer received this information he moved into the same car with the man and took a seat even with, but on the other side of the car from the suspected safe-cracked. The man bega to get figgety. When the train was slowing up for the stop at Bessemer City he seized his grip and sprang from the train before it entered the yard, being closely followed by the policeman. Several shots were fired and a great many people were attracted to the scene of action, but it was not learned whether or not the man was captured.

Insulted Confederate Flag.

Newport News, Va., Special.—Andrew Olsen, a gunner in the United States navy, stationed at the shipyard here, offered a gratuitous insult to the Confederate flag in the presence of a number of sons of Confederate Veterans who were in a hotel cafe early Saturday morning. The party had just returned from a ball given in honor of the sponsors and maids of the Grand Camp of Virginia, Confederate Veterans, which has been in session this week. Olsen threw a small flag to the floor and trampled it under foot. Mayor Thornton Jones, of Hampton, who was in the crowd, knocked Olsen down, repeating the punishment five times.

Minor Mention.

Work on the Bagdad Railway, which will cross the ancient land of Mesopotamia, has been started at Konia. The first section to be constructed is that from Konia to Eregli. When the Bagdad Railway is completed railroad connection with the Persian Gulf will have been established.

Signor Giolitti accepted the task of forming an Italian Cabinet.

In thirty years 1,391,076 Italians have come to this country. This immigration has a very peculiar character. Until 1890 the percentage of women was less than 15, but now it has increased to 39. This indicates that the immigration has a marked tendency to become permanent. Thirty per cent or more of Italian adults who have been in this country more than ten years went back at least once to Italy, and 80 per cent of these came to this country again, bringing their families with them. During the time in which the family is not here the man sends some money weekly to Italy.

Committees from the medical societies of this city, says a Chester, Pa., dispatch the Philadelphia Record, have been going to the public schools this week, examining the boys and girls for any trace of diptheria. This morning when the examinations were begun each doctor was provided with a bag of split clothespins, a fresh pin being used, as a sanitary precaution, to press down the tongue of each boy or girl as the physician peered down at the tonils. The pins were afterward burned.

25 DIE IN A FIRE

It Was in a Sadly Fatal Tenement House.

FEARFUL HOLOCAUST OCCURRED

A Desperate Struggle Made by the Victims, the Most of Whom Were Italians.

New York, Special.—Twenty-one men, three women and a ten-months-old babe were burned to death or suffocated in a fire that started early Sunday morning in the House of All Nations, a five-story tenement at No. 426 Eleventh avenue, and which the police and coroner believe to be of incendiary origin.

Some of the peculiar features of the disaster, in addition to the startling loss of life, are that the fire was practically extinguished in 20 minutes; that the police could learn of but one person being injured, other than those who lost their lives, and that the property loss was only $7,000. The dead are mostly Italians.

The only person injured, so far as can be learned, is Mary Jane Quinn, 47 years old, who was burned about the face and hands by leaping from the second floor fire escape to the ground. In several apartments Hallowe'en parties were in progress and the guests at these added greatly to the number of persons in the house and made the crush and jam to escape more than it ordinarily would have been. Although plentifully provided with fire escape, front and rear, all escape here was cut off a few minutes after the fire started by the bodies of the dead becoming wedged in the openings leading to the ladders. The fire had been burning for some minutes before it was discovered. It had started in the basement and, rushing upward had attacked the stairway leading to the apartments. In a short space of time the flames had so enveloped the stairway that egress from the building was impossible. The house from the third to the fifth floor was entirely destroyed.

At the windows, front and rear, bodies of men and women were jammed, showing that a desperate struggle to get free had resulted in the complete choking of these exits to the fire escapes and had been the cause of a number of the inmates being suffocated. Lying on a bed alongside a window at the rear of the fourth floor, the firemen found the bodies of five men. Each had clutched the one next to him in an endeavor to push him away in order to get to the fire escape outside. The features of the men were distorted, some with rage, some with agony, and in two instances the men had gripped each other so hard that blood had been drawn and had run over their hands.

On the third floor were found the bodies of Mauleta Vingiuerro and her baby. The mother had crawled to the front window and had succeeded in grasping the sill when she was suffocated. In her arms lay the body of her child. On the third floor in an apartment were a Hallowe'en party was being held, John O'Toole, one of the occupants, started to go to the street. He was met by a volume of smoke as he opened the door. He ran to the fire escape, followed by all those in the flat, with the exception of his mother whose charred body later was found lying at the entrance to the apartment. O'Toole and the others escaped.

Surplus Exhausted.

Washington, Special.—A significant fact is noted in the Treasury statement at the close of business Saturday. It is that the receipts and expenditures of the government for the first four months of the present calendar year are practically the same, the surplus being so small as to be only a fraction of the aggregate. One year ago, the surplus for the same months of the fiscal year was $13,500,000. The total receipts for the fiscal year have been about $190,397,285, and the expenditures $189,811,697, leaving a surplus of about $585,000. An analysis of the statement shows that the practical wiping out of the surplus is due not only to a decrease of the receipts, but also to an increase of expenditures.

News of the Day.

An American schooner, Captain C. E. Williams, arrived in Jacksonville Friday, with Captain Carlson and seven members of the crew of the schooner, Gem, which was abandoned at sea on the morning of October 26.

The Japanese Minister to the United States denies that the Japanese Consul who is alleged to have promoted the cause of the Filipinos acted with the approval or knowledge of his Government.

Viceroy Alexieff was thought to have instigated an article in a Port Arthur newspaper saying that Russians would remain in Manchuria.

The Dampskibsselskabet Tellus has lost the suit which was recently instituted against it in North Carolina. The Dampskibsselskabet is not an infernal machine, nor i s the alphabet "pied." It is simply an inoffensive boat reckleessly if not criminally named by its owners.

The largest number of women employees in any line of work are in the United States postoffice department. More than one-third of them are past middle age and some are past seventy. They fill all kinds of positions, even many of the rural free delivery routes being filled by them.

It is estimated that during the last five years telephones have been put into nearly half a million rural homes. The farmers find that with the telephone he can keep in touch with the market, selling his produce or live stock when quotations are the most favorable.

Count Lamsdorff, Russian Foreign Minister, held important conferences with officials in Paris.

Three Catholic Bishops—Right Reverends Estrada, Broderick and Orne—were consecrated at Havana.

MURDERER A SUICIDE

Slayer of His Sister Cuts His Own Throat in the Jail.

Allentown, Pa., Special.—Thomas Bechtel, who was held awaiting investigation of the murder of his sister, Mabel H. Bechtel, at their home a few days ago, committed suicide Thursday evening in his cell at the central police station. The police consider this act as a practical acknowledgement of Bechtel's guilt. Bechtel was in cell No. 2, on the right side of the corridor. Several relatives and friends were admitted to him during the afternoon. About 4 o'clock he called accross the corridor to Alfred Ecstein, Miss Bechtel's affianced lover, who is also held pending the coroner's inquest: "Hello, Al, are you there "

"Yes", answered Eckstein.

Bechtel responded: "I wish you were here with me now, that we might die together."

These were the last words heard from Bechtel. A short time later Eckstein called Bechtel and got no answer, but he thought he heard an unusual gurgle. House Sergeant Frank G. Roth had been through the cells only a short time before.

A quarter past 5 o'clock he entered the corridor and called both men. Getting no answer from Bechtel he looked into his cell and was appalled to see a stream of blood running over the cell floor. Bechtel had laid himself on the bench in his cell and cut his throat with a knife. He was dead when found. The knife lay near him on the floor.

How he got the knife is not known. Intense excitement prevailed at police headquarters. Dense crowds pressed against the windows and doors and filled the street for half a block each way. The funeral of the murdered girl took place Thursday afternoon, the services being held at her late home. A steady stream of people entered the house and filed past the casket containing the body until the services began at 2 o'clock.

The suicide of Thomas Bechtel has been followed by the police officials telling the story of the murder of Miss Bechtel as gathered by them. It starts with last Thursday, when Eckstein accompanied Miss Bechtel to Philadelphia. He left her there and returned home. Weisenberg met her in Philadelphia and accompanied her to Allentown. They went to a certain place together, where they remained until midnight. Thomas Bechtel heard of this, and being strenuously opposed to Weisenberg, he upbraided her in her room upon her return home. He struck her a powerful blow on the cheek, causing her to fall heavily against a bureau, dead. Members of the family held a council and decided upon the story made public on Tuesday and upon the disposition of the body and clothing as found. Charles Bechtel's sister's hatchet was used in striking the blow on the head of the dead girl to give semblance of the assault.

Eckstein knew nothing of the murder, the police say.

Information, charging murder, has been lodged against the entire Bechtel family. John and Charles Bechtel and Eckstein were committted to jail in default of $500 bail each as witnesses. Mrs. Bechtel and daughters were allowed to go, no bail being required. At the inquest several witnesses were heard, but counsel for the Bechtels refused to allow them to testify on account of the charge of murder against them.

$30,000 For Breach of Promise.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Special.—Miss Henrietta Adams, of Caseville, Mich., was given a verdict of $30,000 against Robert Stuart Baker, a well-known young society man of this city, for breach of promise. The trial has been one of the most sensational in the history of western Michigan. The romance which led up to Baker's proposing marriage to the young woman, began when both were students at Olivet College. Several hundred letters written to Miss Adams by Baker, were read in court, and a number from the young women to the defendant were also introduced as evidence. Baker's letters were, many of them, very sensational and improper. The jury decided that Baker fraudulently made the contract of marriage with the purpose of seduction, and that he afterwards ratified it with the same purpose.

Dowieites Weary.

New York, Special.—Dowie seemed weary Friday and instead of standing and waiking about vigorously during his discourse, remained seated while speaking. His subject was "Triune Immersion," a dissertation on th proper method of baptism. He declared that baptism was useless unless one were dipped three times, and asked his hearers to come to the Sunday service to witness the baptism of the converts.

Nut Growers Meet.

New Orleans, Special.—The National Association of Nut Growers elected the following officers: President, G. M. Bacon, DeWitt, Ga.; first vice president, Wm. Nelson, New Orleans, second vice president, J. B. Curtis, Orange Heights, Fla.; secretary-treasurer, J. F. Wilson, Georgia. St. Louis was chosen for the next place of meeting.

Knoxville & Ohio Railroad.

Knoxville, Tenn., Special.—The Knoxville & Ohio Railroad Company recorded here Friday a 50-year mortgage for $3,000,000, in favor of the North American Trust Company, of New York. The money is to be used in refunding $2,000,000 worth of first mortgage bonds and in improvements.

Peace Sentiment Prevails.

Pekin, by Cable.—The Chinese minister at St. Petersburg, telegraphs that while the war party has been dominant for a long time, he believes a peace sentiment is beginning to prevail.

GORMAN ENDORSED.

His Views On the Race Question Elaborated.

JONES SAYS HE MADE NO MISTAKE

A Vital Question That Must Be Settled Sooner or Later—The Country Anxious.

Washington, Special.—Ex-Senator James K. Jones, chairman of the Democratic national executive committeee, expressed his approval of the action of Senator Gorman in making the race issue the paramount question in the Maryland campaign. In speaking of the subject, Mr. Jones said: "I think that Senator Gorman and his associates who are interested in Democratic success in the Maryland campaign made no mistake in giving prominence to the race question, as distinguished by attitudes between the two parties. Mr. Gorman is perfectly right in assuming that the race question is one of the most important before the people of this country at this time. It is a vital question and must, sooner or later, be settled for all time. The Democratic party, according to reports which I have received from Democratic friends and advisers there, certainly has the better hand of the situation up to this time. I think the country at large is anxious for a verdict upon the proposition, and the sooner it is submitted to the whole vote the better. For the Democrats of Maryland to win next week, will, of course, give an impetus to the matter all over the nation, and the general decision will not be long in coming forth. The fact that the question has been passed forward in the Maryland campaign means, of course, that the issue will figure to a considerable extent in the national campaign next year. It will certainly be given prominence then, when the Republican and Democratic candidates are brought before the people for a selection. I believe that the sentiment of the country is opposed to negro domination and that no reasonably minded person believed in equality between, or the amalgamation of, the races. The white man was born to rule, and it shall ever be thus. There can be no other outcome. I think the State of Maryland will vindicate the Democrat policy upon this question. This, in my opinion, will be followed by a general indorsement from the country at large.

"For Mr. Gorman and his fellow-Democrats to win in the fight in Maryland next week," continued Mr. Jones, "will, of course, serve to add prestige to the probability of the Maryland Senator's choice for the Democratic presidential candidate next summer. No other logical outcome could be expected.

"At present I do not believe, however in deciding upon a man for the nomination. Let us get our national platform together first, and then choose a man to fit that platform. Mr. Gorman, it is needless for me to say, is in every way qualified for the office. Yet I do not think it wise at this time for Democrats to fix upon a candidate. It should be a case of the best man for the platform, and no attempt should be made at this early day to arrive at any conclusion as to a candidate."

Senator Jones returned to the city from a visi tto New York. In discussing the mayoralty situation there, he said: "It looks as though McClellan would win. I talked with some of the Democratic leaders of the city, and all appeared confident of winning out. The Tammany organization appears to be superb. It is recoganized that there will be some disaffection in Brooklyn, owing to the repudiation of Hugh McLaughlin by the Tammany people, but from what I could gather the McCarren forces there who stick by the Tammany ticket, are in great shape, and the McLaughlin desertion is being minimized in importance as election day draws near. From what I observed of the situation McClellan certainly appears to be the winner."

Tribute to Mrs. Booth-Tucker.

Chicago, Special.—Surrounded by 3,000 Salvation Army mourners, who had gathered at Princess Rink Friday night to pay tribute to the memory of Mrs. Emma Booth-Tucker, who was killed in a railroad wreck last Wednesday night, Commander Booth-Tucker, in a sermon full of pathos, told of the many good deeds performed by the dead leader. While speaking the husband, grief-stricken and weeping, stood at the head of the casket. At the conclusion of the ceremonies the casket, containing the body was removed to the Pennsylvania depot and will be taken to New York.

Bank Burglar Arrested.

Hot Springs, Ark., Special.—Charles Gavin, alias Geoble, 48 years old, was arrested here Friday. There is a reward of $1,000 for Gavin, who, it is charged, broke into a bank in Denver in 1882, and secured $330,000. He is wanted also in Bisbee, Arizona, on a charge connecting him with a $5,000 diamond robbery. The authorities at Bisbee and the Pinkertons at Chicago have wired to hold Gavin at any cost. He admits his identity.

Two Negroes Hanged.

Luverene, Ala. Special.—Jim Chambers and Lou Shaw, negroes, were hanged here Friday for the murder of Williamson Champion, another negro in March last. Sale Arrington, an accomplice, turned State's evidence and was released. The hanging was in public, and the military was used to help preserve order.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

President Sets Apart Last Thursday in November.

Washington, Special.—The President Saturday issued his annual Thanksgiving proclamation, in the following terms:

By the President of the United States of America—A Proclamation:

The season is at hand when, according to the custom of our people, it falls upon the President to appoint a day of praise and thanksgiving to God.

During the last year the Lord has dealt bountifully with us, giving us peace at home and abroad and the chance for our citizens to work for their welfare unhindered by war, famine or plague. It behooves us not only to rejoice greatly because of what has been given us, but to accept it with a solemn sense of responsibility, realizing that under heaven it rests with us ourselves to show that we are worthy to use aright what has thus been entrusted to our care. In no other place and at no other time has the experiment of government of the people, by the people, for the people, been tired on so vast a scale as here in our own country in the opening years of the twentieth century. Failure would not only be a dreadful thing for us, but a dreadful thing for all mankind, because it would mean loss of hope for all who believe in the power and the righteousness of liberty. Therefore, in thanking God for the mercies extended to us in the past we beseech Him that He may not withhold them in the future, and that our hearts may be roused to war steadfastly for good and against all the forces of evil, public and private. We pray for strength, and light, so that in the coming years we may with cleanliness, fearlessness and wisdom, do our allotted work on the earth in such manner as to show that we are not altogether unworthy of the blessings we have received.

Therefore, I Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States, do hereby designate as a day of general thanksgiving Thursday, the 26th of the coming November, and do recommend that throughout the land the people cease from their wonted occupations and in their several homes and places of worship render thanks unto Almighty God for His manifold mercies.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington, this, 31st day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand, nine hundred and three and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and twenty-eighth.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

By the President:
JOHN HAY, Secretary of State.

Killed in Collision.

Indianapolis, Ind., Special.—Fifteen persons were killed and over 50 injured, some fatally, Saturday morning by a collision between a special passenger train on the Big Four Railroad and a freight engine drawing coal cars. The accident happened in the edge of this city. The passenger train of twelve coaches were carrying 954 persons, nearly all of whom were students of Purdue University and their friends, from LaFayette to Indianapolis, for the annual football game between the Purdue team and the Indiana University squad for the State championship, which was to have been fought this afternoon. In the first coach back of the engine were the Purdue football team, substitute players and managers. Three players, three assistant coach, trainer and seven substitute players of the University team were killed, and every one of the 53 other persons in the car were either fatally or seriously injured.

Winston's Tobacco Market.

Winston-Salem, Special.—The Winston manufacturers shipped 2,198,097 pounds of tobacco during this month. This is an increase of 64,510 pounds over the same month last year, the shipments for October, 1902, being 2,134,587 pounds. The stamp sales at the Winston office this month were as follows: Tobacco, $131,885.82; spirits, $5, 782.70; cigars, $96.75. The leaf sales this month amounted to 1,174,809 pounds. It brought $68,285,.17, an average of $5.80 per hundred. While the average is much less than last year, it is more than the warehousemen had anticipated. It is claimed oy tobacconists generally that the quality of the offerings is not as good as last year.

Strike Trouble in St. Louis.

Indianapolis, Ind., Special.—It is reported here on information received from the national headquarters of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, that between 4,000 and 5,000 men affiliated with the Structural Building Traders' Alliance and employed at the St. Louis Exposition grounds, will strike, in pursuance of an order issued by the officers of the aliance.

Coney Island Fire Swept.

New York, Special.—Coney Island Sunday was swept by the most disastrous fire in its history, about two hundred and fifty buildings being destroyed, entailing a loss estimated at not less than $1,000,000. No lives were lost, although several persons were seriously injured. The fire started near the Steel Chase Park and swept along the bowery district, which is filled with flimsy frame structures that burned like tinder.

News in Brief.

Alfred Eckstein, David Weisenberg and Thomas Bechtel were arrested in Allentown(Pa., in connection with the murder of Mabel Bechtel.

Ex-Congressman John E. Russell, of Massachusetts, is dead.

Fire destroyed the Girard Avenue Theatre in Philadelphia.

Four persons were killed in a railroad wreck near Charlotte, N. C.

Dowie declares that he controls 50,000 votes in Chicago.

A Washington dispatch states that the national campaign in 1904 will be conducted by President Roosevelt's friends on very conseryvative lines.

BECHTEL TRAGEDY.

The Mother's Story Believed to Be Invention.

POSSIBLE RESULT OF FAMILY ROW.

Police Find Blood Stains on Walls of Her Brother's Room and Also His Bloody Overalls.

Allentown, Pa., Special.—With David Weisenberg under $500 bail, supplied by Congressman Kline, and with Thos. Bechtel, her brother, and and Alfred Eckstein, her accredite lover, locked up in a police station cell, the Allentown police are resting in their work on the Mabel H. Bechtel murder case of Tuesday morning, until Coroner Schierer's jury meets tomorrow evening. The mystery is still practically unsolved, except that indications point to a family row in which Eckstein may have figured, as he admits he was at Miss Bechtel's home on Monday evening for an hour and a half. Because Mrs. Bechtel had said her daughter left for a drive on Monday at 9 a. m., efforts were made to trace the girl's movements away from home. Rumors that she was at a road house near this city were found to be groundless and the police do not believe the girl was away from home at all on Monday. Her brothers, Thomas, John and Chas. say they did not see her on that day and so also says her sister Martha.

Martha usually slept with her widowed mother in the second floor, rear room. Thomas occupied the middle room and John and Charles the front room. In the latter the police today, on thorough search, found blood stains on the carpet and on the wall paper, and it looked as if vigorous efforts had been made to wipe them out. Thomas' bloody overalls were found this afternoon in a neighbor's yard. In a drawer of a closet in the third story was found part of Charles' hatchet, such as slaters use in slate roof, being his trade. The remainder of the tools were found in another drawer. The break in the handle looks new and fresh.

The police this afternoon put the entire Bechtel family, except the mother, under thorough examination. All deny any knowledge of how Mabel came to her death or who placed her body in the alley-way under the home on Tuesday morning. The mother was not called because of her hysterical condition.

Eckstein was Miss Bechtel's accepted lover, though she also received attentions from Weisenberg. Eckstein and the girl were to have been married on November 22, but the date was recently postponed until Christmas. They had frequent quarrels over Weisenberg's attentions. Eckstein being jealous of him. He had expressed threats to several persons that he would kill both. It is said he occasionally beat Miss Bechtel severely.

The Bechtel family sided with Eckstein. Weisenberg was not allowed to enter the Bechtel home.

Police Sergeant Knauss returned to Allentown from New York today with Weisenberg. The latter gave a detailed statement of his movements since Sunday which are corroborated fully. He had not seen the girl since Sunday evening, when he met her by appointment on one street corner when she had just left Eckstein at the next corner. The police incline to the belief that the girl was not away from home on Monday; that a family row occurred over the girl's supposed duplicity to Eckstein, and her attachment for Weisenberg; that a blow was struck in anger which may have been more severe than was intended, and that the mother's story is an invention.

Two Records Broken.

Memphis, Special.—The eight-day meeting of the Memphis Trotting Association was brought to a fitting close Wednesday with the breaking of two additional world's trotting records. Lou Dillon, Mr. Billings' champion trotter, driven by her owner, went a mile to wagon in two minutes flat, cutting a second and three-quarters from the previous record made by herself, and The Monk and Equity, driven by Mr. Billings, their owner, lowered the world's trotting record of 2:09 for a mile to pole to 2:08.

News Notes.

The run on the St. Louis banks is said to be over.

Twelve sticks of dynamite, done up in two packages, with fuses attached all ready to light, were found concealed in the lavatory of the inter-urban depot in Seattle, Wash. There were enough of the explosive to have blown up all the buildings within a radius of blocks and to damage property for a distance of ten blocks from the depot.

Wm. Farr, of Tennessee, who was indicted in Nashville, was arrested in Washington yesterday by the postoffice inspectors, on a warrant charging him with using the mails for fraudulent purposes.

The search of the police for the murderer of Sagatel Sagouni, president of the Armenian Revolutionary Society in London, who was shot and killed by an unknown assassin in the suburb of Nunhead, late Monday evening, has been futile up to noon Wednesday.

Charged with having been members of a band of white cappers, which is alleged to have whipped negroes and burned negroes' houses in Pike county, six white men have been arrested at Lindwood, by United States authorities.

Four people were killed in a wreck at Bessemer City, N. C., Wednesday.

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"LAWLESSNESS WALKED THE STATE LIKE A PESTILENCE."

GOVERNOR AYCOCK STATED IN HIS INAUGURAL ADDRESS THAT UNDER, AND THEREFORE BY IMPLICATION IN CONSEQUENCE OF, FUSION RULE "LAWLESSNESS WALKED THE STATE LIKE A PESTILENCE, CRIME STALKED ABROAD AT NOON-DAY, SLEEP LAY DOWN WITH ALARM AND THE SOUND OF THE PISTOL WAS MORE FREQUENT THAN THE SONG OF THE MOCKING BIRD." HOW STANDS THE CASE TO-DAY GOVERNOR? HAVEN'T THE ACTS OF THREE RED SHIRT LEGISLATURES AND MORE THAN TWO YEARS OF YOUR OWN BENEFICENT RULE PASSED INTO HISTORY SINCE YOU PROCLAIMED THE FOREGOING? WHEN YOU ARE CAVORTING OVER THE STATE WHOOPING FOR EDUCATION AND ROADS DON'T YOU HEAR OF MORE CRIMES BEING COMMITED IN NORTH CAROLINA THAN EVER BEFORE AND DO YOU CONTINUE TO ATTRIBUTE THESE TO FUSION RULE?

WHY PROGRESSIVE YOUNG MEN LEAVE OUR STATE.

Some of the democrats in this State are just waking up to the fact that political persecution and intolerance has driven some of the brightest young North Carolinians from their native heath. Some of the red-shirt sheets deny the fact but still it remains the truth.

A former North Carolinian writing to the Biblical Recorder on this subject, among other things, says:

"This same spirit of narrow bigotry both political and religious, has "clipped the wings of fancy" and driven the muses from her borders. The result is that North Carolina is a State without a poetry, a land without a literature and a commonwealth whose stateman remain forever unknown unless forsooth they go to more favorable climes."

We do not herald this to the world as glad tidings for it makes our heart ache to think that such conditions have and do exist in our State.

The following appeared in the Charlotte Observer just after the reunion of former North Carolinians at Greensboro week before last:

"Hon. Joseph M. Dixon, the only Representative in Congress from Montana, was one of the speakers at the reunion at Greensboro last week. He is a native of Alamance county and went to Montana a number of years ago—twelve, we believe. He is a bright young man, makes a good speech, and arrested the attention of the audience by saying in his address, which breathed filial affections, that he went away from home on account of political intolerance here."

And there are others too numerous to mention just here that have been forced to leave the State before they could climb the ladder of fame. Among them are Hon. Joe Cannon who will be the next Speaker of Congress; Senator Hawley, of Connecticutt, and Mr. J. W. Albertson, a republican reared in Elizabeth City, who left the State on account of political persecution and located in the State of Washington, and is now one of the most noted lawyers on the Pacific Slope.

Mr. Walter H. Page, who is now editor of the "Worlds Work," one of the most noted magazines of the day, was born and reared in Wake county, near the State Capitol. He was so progressive that the mossback democrats jumped on him and he left the State for a better field. This was while Ransom's machine was in charge of the State and Simmons was one of the under lieutenants for work in the black district.

A native from North Carolina writing to the Biblical Recorder says: "I know communities which are not as intelligent as they were in my boyhood." The "Educational Governor" should investigate this while the editor of the Eastern Reflector is recovering from the shock.

Within the past few weeks we have seen a great many farmers from different sections of the State, and they were all very much exercised over the high taxes they will have to pay this year.

Judge W. R. Allen passed through Greensboro yesterday and told the Record that he had tried six murder cases in nine days. This is only one judge's experience, several others are busy.—Concord Tribune.

And so the cry comes from all over the State.—Kinston Free Press.

The above is from democratic papers. And who is responsible for this great increase in crimes in this State? The democrats claimed the Fusionest were responsible for all the crimes committed while they were in power, according to their own argument, are not the democrats responsible for the great increase in crimes since they have been in power.

We clip the following from a democratic exchange which is remarkable in view of the fact that it contains more truth than fiction:

"We wonder if the penitentiary officials really could keep a man out of that institution if he insisted upon getting in. They certainly do not seem able to keep anybody in there."

The News & Observer should read and re-read the following from the Durham Herald:

"It is not right to blame the negro every time a town goes wet. The whites have disfranchised him and if they cannot keep him disfranchised it is their own fault."

An exchange very pertinently observes that if the democratic party was to clean up it would be "clean" out of business.

High taxes and a bankrupt treasury are some of the results of democratic "good government" in North Carolina.

BOOKER WASHINGTON'S SPEECH.

The President of Tuskegee School Makes an Address at the Colored State Fair.

Booker T. Washington, President of the Tuskegee School at Tuskegee Ala., made an address at the colored State Fair in Raleigh last Friday. There was a large crowd both white and colored out to hear him. The following is a gist of his speech which we clip from the Progressive Farmer:

"Booker Washington did not mince words in his Raleigh speech last Friday, and the advice he gave the negroes, from start to finish, was thoroughly sound. Make yourselves good workmen—good farmers, good blacksmiths, good carpenters, good cooks, good servants. Insist on practical training in your schools. Make money and save it. Ostracise the idle and the vicious of your race. Draw the line on immoral negroes—draw it in the church, in the school, and in your own homes. Pay your taxes promptly and help support the government that protects you. Keep on good terms with your white neighbors. Uphold the courts and aid the prosecution of criminals of all classes.

Picked a Pocket.

Goldsboro, N. C., Nov. 2.—Horse Mackay, a negro, who has just finished a twelve month's sentence on the county roads, is now in jail charged with stealing $10 from the apron pocket of Mrs. Sasser Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Sasser lives near Pikeville and came to the city Saturday to do some trading.

Twenty Five Perish by Fire in New York.

New York, Nov. 1.—Twenty-one men, three women, and a ten months' old babe were burned to death or suffocated in a fire that started early this morning in "The House of All Nations," a five-story tenement house, at 426 Eleventh avenue, and which the police and coroner believe to have been of incendiary origin.

DECEMBER DESIGNER.

"Mother Love," always a touching theme but never more sacred than at this season, is exquisitely pictured in reproductions from noted paintings in the December Designer, and "The Bethelem Star," a full-page illustrated poem by Aloysius Coll, carries out still further the beautiful idea. "Christmas at Bear Tooth," by Lillian C. Paschal, is a stirring story of the West, while "Heart of Gold," by Ada Marie Peck, is another holiday romance, but in different vein. That well known portrayer of happy childhood, Mrs. Gabrielle E. Jackson, contributes the Christmas story for young folks, entitled "How Swipes Played Santa," and Dr. Sarah A. French Battey gives suggestions for "Holiday Tableaux, Home-Made," accompanied by charming illustrations. "Nooks and Dens," by Mary Kilsyth, pictures and describes the artistic furnishing of odd and pretty rooms, and "A Christmas Sock Social" and "A Doll Party" will be of great assistance to the Sunday school or young folk's club in search of attractive entertainments for this season.

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A FIGHT WITH INDIANS.

Two White Men and Several Red Men Killed.

New Castle, Wyo., Nov. 2.—Sheriff W. H. Miller of Western county and one of his posse are dead as a result of a fight with twelve wagon loads of Sioux Indians. The Indians were from the Pine Ridge and Rosebud agencies in South Dakota and were violating the game laws of the state. The sheriff's posse rounded up the red skins Saturday. The Sioux opened fire, and a sharp fight ensued, in which Deputy Fossenburg was instantly killed and Sheriff Miller mortally wounded, dying an hour later. His body was brought to New Castle by the remainder of the posse this morning.

Members of the posse report that at least six Indians were killed and severely wounded, among the latter being Chief Eagle Feather, who is being brought here a prisoner.

SHOT TWO BROTHERS.

The Result of a Quarrel Over Currying a Horse.

Pottsville, Pa., Nov. 2.—A double tragedy was committed this afternoon on the farm of L. W. Weissinger, at Fairview, about two miles south of this city. Frederick and Louis Weissenger, sons of L. W. Weissenger, were shot down in cold blood by their older brother, Benjamin Franklin Weissenger. He and Frank were at work in the barn when they entered into an altercation about the cleaning of a horse, which Fred wanted to hitch up and drive out.

Synod in Session at Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 2.—The Presbyterian Synod of North Carolina will hold its annual session in Wilmington this week, commencing Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock and continuing throughout the week. It is estimated that the attendance will be over 200 and the leading ministers of the Presbyterian church will be present. Also prominent divines from other states will be here.

Afred Daniels Will be Tried This Week for the Murder of Mr. Simmons.

New Bern, N. C., Nov. 2.—Alfred Daniels, the negro who is charged with the murder of Furnifold G. Simmons, father of Senator Simmons, was taken from Craven county jail Sunday night by Sheriff Taylor of Jones county and taken to Trenton, where he will be tried for murder.

Two Children Die From Drinking Poison

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 2.—The second child of Mr. Charles McMillan, who was poisoned by drinking water which ran off a freshly painted roof into a cistern, died last night after four days of intense suffering.

The little daughter died Saturday and the year old son lasted a day longer.

Stranger: "How many inhabitants in this town?" Native: "The population of this yere city is 27 souls an' a editor."—New York Journal.

It is not punishing a man much to send him to the penitentiary in this State. If the governor won't pardon him he can escape. Democratic times you know.—Chatham Citizen.

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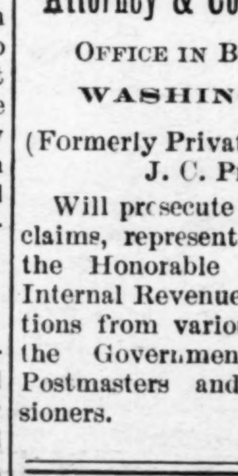

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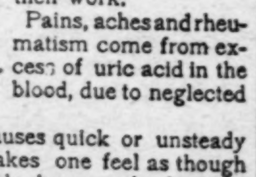

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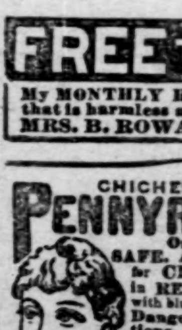

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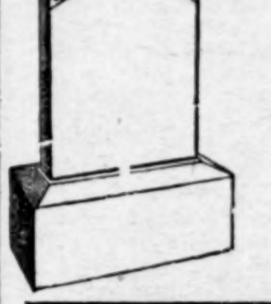

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RESULT OF ELECTION

Democratic Landslide in Greater New York.

Ohio Went Republican by an Overwhelming Majority — Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Nebraska, Colorado and Massachusetts Did Likewise—Reports from Maryland and Kentuck are Very Meagre.

Elections were held in several of the States Tuesday. Returns up to this hour are very meagre but we will give our readers the latest news we have up to the time of going to press.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 2—Colonel Geo. B. McClellan was elected Mayor of New York by from 55,000 to 60,000 plurality. Grout, for Competroller, whom the fusionists and Republicans made such a fight against, ran ahead of McClellan vote. Low in New York, the Republicans have elected enough assemblymen to insure them control of the legislature in both branches. The legislature will stand: Senate 29, Republicans, 21 Democrats; house, 88 Republicans, 62 Democrats.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Boston, Nov. 3.—John Bates, the Republican candidate for Governor was re-elected to the office by a plurality of about 40,000 over Col. Wm. A. Gaston, the Democratic nominee. The entire Republican State ticket won and the legislature is heavily Republican.

OHIO.

Columbus Ohio, Nov. 3—Excellent weather throughout Ohio had everything to do with the immense vote polled today. Myron T. Herrick of Cleveland, for Governor, will land a majority over Single Taxer Tom Johnson of Cleveland of from 90,000 to over 100,000. The legislature will be Republican.

MARYLAND.

Baltimore, Nov. 3—The result of the election in this state up to eleven o'clock is uncertain. Only four precincts were turned in.

IOWA.

The Republicans carried the state by about fifteen thousand majority.

NEBRASCA.

Republicans and Fusionists claim the state by five thousand. Republicans elected supreme court judges.

VIRGINIA.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 3—Barring the Scott county tragedy the election passed off quietly in Virginia today. The Democrats have secured all except about 25 members of the legislature in joint ballot, these being divided between Republicans and independents.

MISSISSIPPI.

Jackson, Miss. Nov. 3—There was no opposition to the Demochatic ticket, and consequently no interest in the result.

KENTUCKY.

Frankfort, Kentucky, Nov. 3— Returns here indicate Beckham's re-election by from 18,000 to 20,000 plurality, and the election of seventy Democrat members of the houes, against thirty Republicans. The senate will be composed of twenty three Democrats and fifteen Republicans.

UTAH.

Salt Lake, Nov. 3—Indications at an early hour pointed to the election of the gentle city ticket and the defeat of the mormon ticket.

NEW JERSEY.

New York, Nov. 3—Mark M. Fagan the Republican Mayor of Jersey City was re elected for a term of two years.

COLORADO.

Denver, Nov. 3— Colorado has gone Republican electing Campbell, for supreme judge, by a large majority.

Buffalo, New York, Nov. 3—Republicans made clean sweep of the city

RHODE ISLAND

Providence, Nov. 3—The returns from the state election are coming in slowly. Eleven districts show Republican gains of 107. Garvin's (Dem) plurality last year was about 8,000. The indications at nine o'clock were that he had been re-elected by a reduced plurality.

NEW JERSEY.

New York, Nov. 3—The indications are that the Republicans have elected a majority of their assemblymen in New Jersey.

Fruit from Seeds Sown.

A Governor who parades the State prior to election and sanctions mobs red shirts, gatling guns, and rotten egg egg methods to carry the State in his behalf, need not feel surprised at the carnival of crime as the result. Having sowed the seed it is but natural to to expect like for like.—Union Republican.

BURIAL PARTY KILLED.

Four Persons in Wagon with Casket Hurled to Death.

Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 1.—Fast express train No. 39 on the Southern Railway, that left Washington last night at 9:25 o'clock, ran into a funeral party six miles north of Concord this morning at 8 o'clock and killed four people. The killed were: John Key, Benjamin Tippet, Daniel Weaver, Lula Townsend.

They were seated in a farm wagon, in which the body of Mrs. Kate Lewis was being taken to a country graveyard about three miles from where the accident took place.

The wagon was drawn by a pair of young mules, not thoroughly broken, and it is the contention of the engineer and fireman that the animals became unmanageable and ran directly in front of the engine, which was moving at a high rate of spe d. The pilot of the engine struck the wagon on the front wheel and the force of the collision threw the occupants in the air.

Coney Island Sw pt by Fire.

New York, Nov. 2.—Coney Island yesterday was swept by the most disastrous fire in its history, about two hundred and fifty buildings being destroyed, entailing a loss estimated at not less than $1-000,000. No lives were lost, although several persons were seriously injured.

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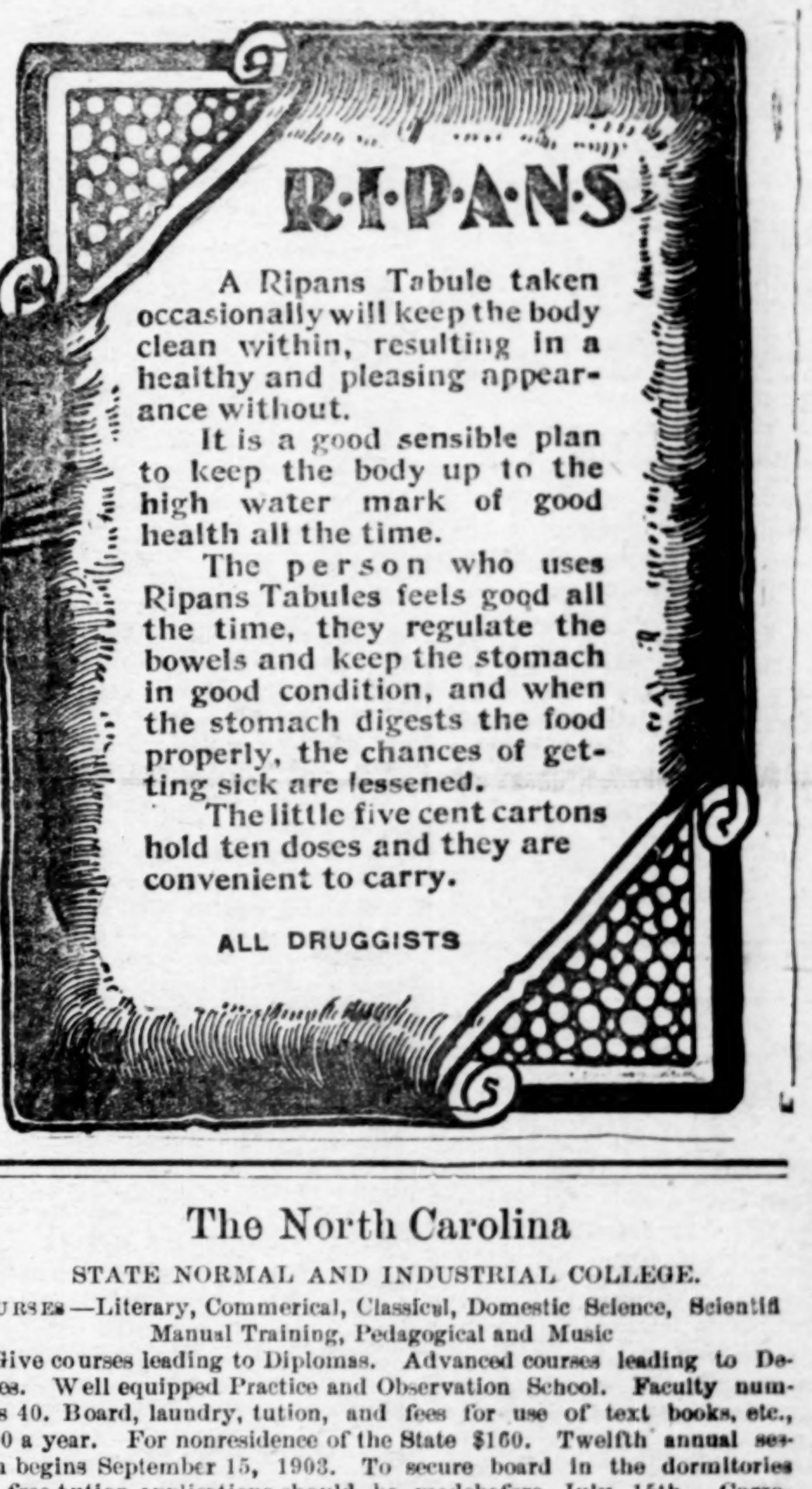

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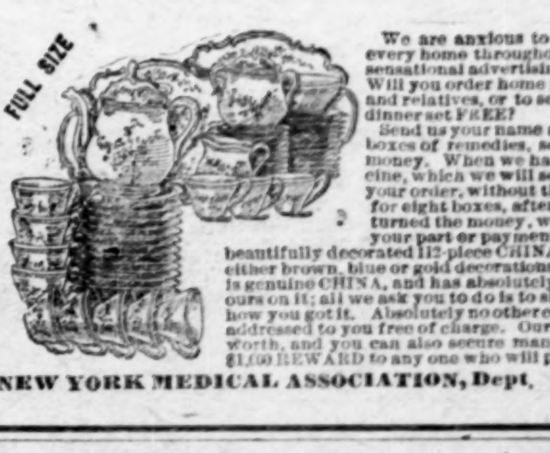

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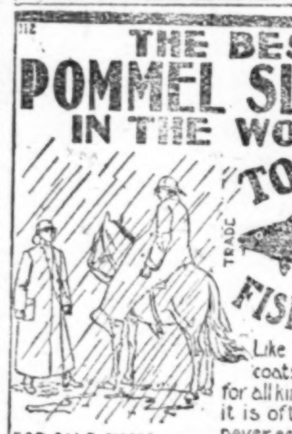

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Flood Benefits One Man.

The Missouri river flood has given P. C. Nuckles of Rocheport, Mo., a new house, completely furnished. The high water drove Mr. Nuckles away from his farm, and when he returned to it he found on his land a comparatively new house, which was in good condition, despite its watery journey. There is nothing about it to indicate who the owner is.

Among those men who have been brought into prominence by the railroad development of the past few years is President Burt, of the Union Pacific, takes front rank. The secret of his success lies in his extraordinary working capacity and his intimate knowledge of railroad duties. Every detail connected with the system passes directly through his hands, and he leaves nothing to subordinates, even the highest subordinate officials being mere factotums.

Farm Topics

PURCHASING MANURE.

When purchasing stable manure to haul on the farm it is best to endeavor to know something of the manure before hauling. One load of manure may stock the whole farm with weeds. The difficulty will not be so great, however, if the manure is allowed to heat and become well decomposed before spreading.

CAUSE OF ROPY MILK.

Ropy milk is caused by bacteria, but it is not as yet known how this bacteria gets into the milk, unless it is from the body of the cow. Wash the udder, teats and body of the cow before milking; also see that the vessel and hands of the milker are clean. The animal heat in the milk should be removed as soon as possible by passing the milk over a cold surface or through a pipe surrounded by ice.

VALUE OF SHEEP.

Many farmers who got rid of their sheep because wool did not pay have found that they made a mistake in so doing, as the ewes could have been made the foundation for something better. Sheep are not as easily procured now as several years ago, and fewer complaints are made regarding the profits from them. Oxford sheep, which produced heavy carcasses last year, on one farm, averaged eight pounds of wool per sheep also, thus proving that mutton breeds also pay as wool producers.

SILO NOT REQUIRED.

While I believe the silo to be an important addition to the farm, I think farming can be made a success by other methods. The hay crop is to be cut off in a measure, therefore we need to raise extra soiling and forage crops. Corn is one of the best. Sanford is a good variety, after reaching our limit of sweet and yellow corn.

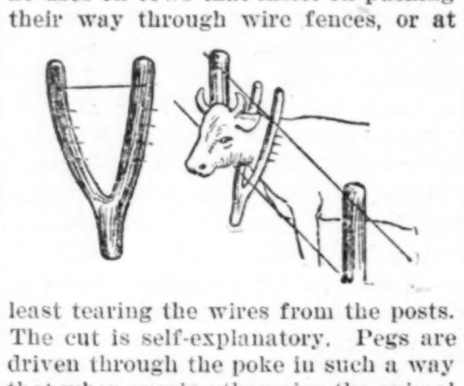
Barley cut green makes an excellent feed and is produced quickly and economically. As a late-sown crop it cannot be excelled. Hungarian sowed on moderately rich, well cultivated, warm soil, using one bushel of seed per acre, the results will well repay the labor, and the ground will be in better condition for next year.—W. E. Leland, in American Cultivator.

COOKING FOOD FOR PIGS.

Many farmers believe in cooking food for pigs, some even going so far as to cook all their food. The results of numerous experiments show that, as a rule, steaming or cooking food, especially coarse food for cattle, adds nothing to its value. Potatoes, however, cannot be fed to swine in any quantity without cooking, and often grains which are injured or damaged in some way should first be cooked before feeding. Warm feed must not be confused with cooking it. An occasional feed of cooked food will be relished by way of variety. Warming or soaking the food may make it more comfortable or agreeable to the palate, and, perhaps, make it more easily digestible. In this way, warming the feed may be advantageous, for increased comfort will aid in economizing the food, or increasing the gains.

A DEVICE FOR COWS.

A subscriber sends us a simple device he uses on cows that insist on pushing their way through wire fences, or at



least tearing the wires from the posts. The cut is self-explanatory. Pegs are driven through the poke in such a way that when grazing they give the animal no inconvenience, but when she reaches through the wires the sharp points jab her shoulders sharply, and she quickly learns to keep on her own side of the fence.—Farm Journal.

INDIVIDUAL FOWLS.

Beginners should never begin by buying their hens from any and all sources. Select from a reliable source a few hardy birds, and breed for the kind of hens desired. This may entail a year's loss of time, but it will be less expensive than expending a large sum for hens, only to be compelled to destroy them, to say nothing of the labor involved in eradicating lice and disease from the premises. The individuality of the hens is too seldom considered. Poultrymen look to the breeds, the flocks and the broods, as though a flock were uniform. They feed all alike, and expect all to be thrifty alike. When they make it a rule to look upon each hen as different from the others, and realize that some are valuable while others are not, and persistently destroy the weaker, the damage and loss will prove but a very small item compared to the great gain in profit, and the saving of expenses in favor of the strong, vigorous, hardy birds.—Mirror and Farmer.

Unique Birthday Celebration.

A unique way in which to celebrate a person's birthday was that which was adopted by the friends and relatives of Mrs. Elizabeth A. Sime of Campello, Mass., who was 80 years recently. One of her relatives arranged it so that Mrs. Sime received a letter for each year of her age, the missives coming from all over the country.

Of a Different Breed.

President Mellen of Northern Pacific was telling one of his Wall Street friends about the prospects in the Far Northwest.

"I never saw so many lambs and sheep on the farms as there are this year," he concluded.

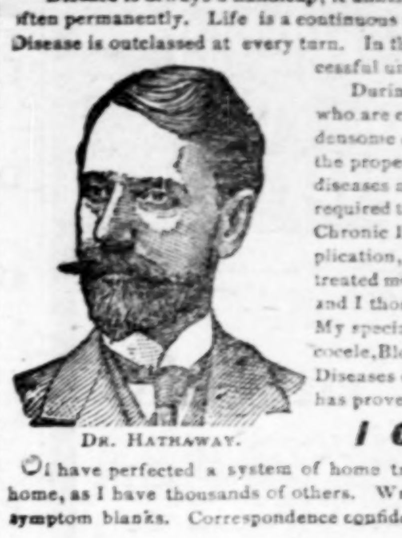
"We have more than the average ourselves," said the broker with a sigh, "but we are not boasting about it."

"The breed I mean are worth $6 apiece," replied the railroad man, laughing.

"And there's where you have us beaten," sadly admitted the Wall Street man.—New York Times.

IS YOUR HEALTH VALUABLE?

Disease is always a handicap; it unfits men for business and pleasure—sometimes temporarily, often permanently. Life is a continuous struggle, and the man or woman afflicted with a Chronic Disease is outclassed at every turn. In this age of sharp competition, no man can hope to be successful unless sound in mind and body.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Dated May 5th, 1902.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

	No.23. Daily.	No.35. Daily.	No.103. Daily ex Sun.	No.41. Daily.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Lv Weldon	11 50	9 58	....	....
Ar Rocky Mount	1 00	10 52	....	....
	P.M.			
Lv Tarboro	12 22	....	7 22	....
Lv Rocky Mount	1 05	10 02	7 52	5 4[illegible]
Lv Wilson	1 59	11 10	8 31	6 2[illegible]
Lv Selma	2 55	11 59	....	....
Lv Fayetteville	4 30	1 20	....	....
Ar Florence	7 25	3 20	....	....
	P.M.	A.M.		
Ar Goldsboro	....	....	9 20	....
Lv Goldsboro	....	....	....	7 31
Lv Magnolia	....	....	....	8 [illegible]
Ar Wilmington	....	....	....	10 [illegible]
			P.M.	A.M.

Train No. 49 daily, leaves Rocky Mount at 12 52 p. m., Wilson 2 40 p m, Goldsboro 3 [illegible] p m, Magnolia 4 23 p m, arrives Wilmington 6 p m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No.78. Daily.	No.102. Daily ex.Sun.	No.32. Daily.	No.46. Daily.
	A.M.		P.M.	
Lv Florence	10 05	....	8 05	....
Lv Fayetteville	12 40	....	10 09	....
Lv Selma	2 10	....	11 25	....
Ar Wilson	2 57	....	12 07	....
		A.M.		P.M.
Lv Wilmington	....	....	....	7 00
Lv Magnolia	....	....	....	8 36
Lv Goldsboro	....	7 35	....	9 37
	P.M.	....	A.M.	P.M.
Lv Wilson	2 35	8 20	11 34	10 42
Ar Rocky Mount	3 30	9 00	12 10	11 22
Ar Tarboro	....	9 34	....	....
Lv Tarboro	2 31	....	....	....
Lv Rocky Mount	3 50	....	12 43	....
Ar Weldon	4 53	....	1 37	....
	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

Train No. 48, daily, leaves Wilmington 9 05 a m, Magnolia 10 53 a m, Goldsboro 12 26 a m, Wilson 1 15 p m, and arrive at Rocky Mount at 1 53 p m.

Carolina Central Railway, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Weldon 3:15 p. m., Halifax 3:29 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4:10 p. m., Greenville 5:47 p. m., Kinston 6:45 p. m. Returning leaves Kinston 7:30 a. m., Greenville 8:30 a. m., arriving Halifax at 11:05 a. m., Weldon 11:20 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8:00 a.m., and 1:45 p. m., arrive Parmele 8:55 a. m., and 3:10 p. m., returning leave Parmele 9:15 a. m. and 5:22 p. m., arrive Washington 10:35 a. m. and 6:15 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday 4:35 p. m., Sunday, 4:35 p. m., arrives Plymouth 6:35 p. m., 6:30 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday 7:30 a. m., and Sunday 9:00 a. m., arrives Tarboro 9:55 a. m., 11:00 a. m.

Train on Midland N. C. Branch leaves Goldsboro daily except Sunday 5:00 a. m., arriving Smithfield 6:10 a. m., returning leaves Smithfield 7:00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 8:25 a. m.

Trains on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mount 9:30 a. m., 4:00 p. m., arrive Nashville 10:20 a. m., 4:23 p.m., Spring Hope 11:00 a. m., 4:45 p. m. Returning leave Spring Hope 11:20 a. m. 5:15 p. m., Nashville 11:45 a. m., 5:41 p. m., arrive at Rocky Mount 12:10 p. m., 6:20 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Yadkin Division Main Line—Train leaves Wilmington, 9:10 a. m., arrives Fayetteville 12:20 p. m., leaves Fayetteville 12:42 p. m., arrives Sanford 1:58 p. m. Returning leaves Sanford 3:05 p. m., arrive Fayetteville 4:20 p. m. leave Fayetteville 4:30 p. m., arrives Wilmington 7:15 p. m.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8:10 a. m., Maxton 9:05 a. m., Red Springs, 9:32 a. m., Parkton 10:41 a. m., Hope Mills 10:55 a. m., arrive Fayetteville 11:10. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4:45 p. m., Hope Mills 5:00 p. m., Red Springs 5:43 p. m., Maxton 6:16 p. m., arrives Bennettsville 7:15 p. m.

Connections at Fayetteville with train No. 78 at Maxton with the

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Europe is the only continent with a numerical preponderance of women. But even in Europe there are many countries where the men outnumber the women. That is the case in Italy, Greece, Roumania, Bulgaria, Servia, Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Immense Puff Ball.

W. G. and Herbert Gee of Vergennes, Vt., recently found a puff ball growing in the woods which measured 4 feet 9 inches in circumference, 18 inches across, and weighed 16½ pounds.

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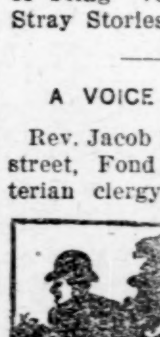

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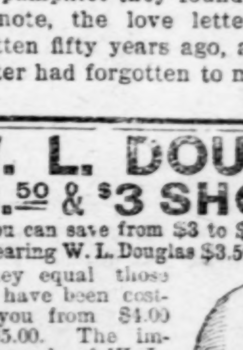

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	Daily No. 31	Daily No. 27.
Lv. New York, P. R.R.	12 55 pm	12 10 am
Lv. Philadelphia, "	3 29 pm	7 20 am
Lv. Baltimore, "	5 45 pm	9 34 am
Lv. Washington, W. S. Ry	7 00 pm	10 46 am
Lv. Richmond, S.A.L.Ry	10 35 pm	2 15 pm
Lv. Petersburg, "	7 17 pm	2 57 pm
Lv. Norlina, "	1 35 am	5 15 pm
Lv. Henderson, "	2 22 am	6 03 pm
Lv. Raleigh, "	4 00 am	7 33 pm
Lv. Southern Pines "	6 00 am	9 36 pm
Lv. Hamlet, "	7 25 am	10 40 pm
Lv. Columbia, ‡ "	10 00 am	12 55 am
Ar. Savannah, "	2 20 pm	5 05 am
Ar. Jacksonville, "	6 50 pm	9 15 am
Ar. St. Augustine "		1 55 pm
Ar. Tampa, "	6 45 am	6 00 pm
	No. 33	No. 41.
Lv. New York, N.Y.P. & N.†	7 55 am	8 55 pm
Lv. Philadelphia, "	10 16 am	11 21 pm
Lv. New York, O.D.S.S.Co†	3 00 pm	....
Lv. Baltimore, B. S.P.Co.		† 6 30 pm
Lv. Wash'ton, N.&W.S.B.		6 30 pm
Lv. Portsmouth, S. A. L.	9 05 pm	9 25 am
Lv. Weldon, "	11 45 pm	11 55 am
Lv. Norlina "	1 50 am	1 40 pm
Lv. Henderson, "	2 22 am	2 10 pm
Lv. Raleigh, "	4 00 am	4 00 pm
Lv. Southern Pines, "	6 00 am	6 16 pm
Lv. Hamlet, "	7 30 am	10 40 pm
Lv. Wilmington, "	......	3 30 pm
Ar. Charlotte, "	10 08 am	10 45 pm
Lv. Chester, "	10 25 am	1 35 am
Lv. Greenwood, "	12 33 pm	3 43 am
Lv. Athens, "	2 50 pm	6 05 am
Ar. Atlanta, ‡ "	4 50 pm	8 10 am
Ar. Augusta, C. & W. C.	5 20 pm	....
Ar. Macon, C. of Ga.	7 20 pm	11 35 am
Ar. Montgom'ry, A.&W.P.	9 20 pm	6 25 pm
Ar. Mobile, L. & N.	2 55 am	....
Ar. New Orleans, L. & N.	7 15 am	....
Ar. Nashville, N.C.& St.L.	6 40 am	6 55 pm
Ar. Memphis, "	3 45 pm	8 45 am

NORTHWARD

	Daily No. 32	Daily No. 38
Lv. Memphis, N.C.& St.L.	12 45 noon	8 00 pm
Lv. Nashville, "	9 30 pm	9 30 am
Lv. New Orleans, L. & N.,	8 15 pm	....
Lv. Mobile, L. & N.	12 40 am	....
Lv. Montgom'ry, A.&W.P	6 45 am	1 00 pm
Lv. Macon, C. of Ga.	8 00 am	4 20 pm
Lv. Augusta, C. & W. C.	10 10 am	....
Lv. Atlanta, ‡ S.A.L.	12 00 noon	8 10 pm
Ar Athens, § "	2 57 pm	11 25 pm
Ar Greenwood, "	5 15 pm	2 05 am
Ar. Chester, "	7 17 pm	4 15 am
Lv. Charlotte, "	7 25 pm	5 01 am
Lv. Wilmington, "	3 30 pm	....
Lv. Hamlet, "	10 30 pm	7 50 pm
Lv. Southern Pines, "	11 18 pm	8 45 am
Lv. Raleigh, "	1 25 am	11 15 am
Lv. Henderson, "	2 58 am	12 50 pm
Lv. Norlina "	3 45 am	1 45 pm
Lv. Weldon, "	5 05 am	3 00 pm
Ar. Portsmouth, "	8 00 am	5 35 pm
Ar. Wash'ton, N.& W.S.B.		6 55 am
Ar. Baltimore, B.S.P.Co.		† 6 30 am
Ar. New York, O.D.S.S.Co		† 5 00 pm
Ar. Phila'phia, N.Y.P.&N†	5 46 pm	5 10 am
Ar. New York, "	8 15 pm	8 00 am
	No. 34	No. 66
Lv. Tampa, S. A. L. Ry.	9 00 pm	8 50 am
Lv. St. Augustine "	5 40 am	6 20 pm
Lv. Jacksonville, "	8 45 am	7 50 pm
Lv. Savannah "	1 15 pm	12 10 am
Lv. Columbia, § "	6 35 pm	5 30 am
Lv. Hamlet, "	10 20 pm	8 55 am
Lv. Southern Pines, "	11 18 pm	9 45 am
Lv. Raleigh, "	1 25 am	11 50 am
Lv. Henderson, "	2 58 am	1 10 pm
Lv. Norlina "	3 40 am	1 55 pm
Lv. Petersburg, "	5 49 am	4 09 pm
Ar. Richmond, "	6 35 am	4 55 pm
Ar. Washington, W.S.Ry.	10 10 am	8 36 pm
Ar. Baltimore, P.R.R.	11 5 am	11 25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia, " "	1 36 pm	2 56 am
Ar. New York, " "	4 15 pm	6 30 am

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Time Table No. 28, to take effect Sunday, November 9th, 1902, at 7:05 a. m., Eastern Standard Time. Supersedes Time Table No. 27, of June 8, 1902.

5 Pass. D'ly 1st c	3 Pass. D'ly 1st c	STATIONS	4 Pass. D'ly 1st c.	6 Pass. D'ly 1st c.
A.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.
8 00	3 30 Lv	Goldsboro	Ar 11 05	8 00
f 8 18	f 3 50	Best's	10 43 f	8 08 f
8 26	3 59	LaGrange	10 32	7 57
f 8 37	f 4 10	Falling Creek	10 22 f	7 47 f
8 48	4 22 Ar / Lv	Kinston	Lv / Ar 10 12	7 37
		Kinston Junc		
f 9 02	f 4 36	Caswell	9 50 f	7 22
9 13	4 43 Ar / Lv	Dover	Lv 9 42 / Ar 9 40	7 17
		Hines Siding		
9 30	5 03	Core Creek	9 30	7 00
9 50	5 19	Tuscarora	9 20	6 50
f 9 56	f 5 25	Clark's	9 12 f	6 42 f
		Neuse Crossing		
10 10	5 40 Ar / 5 50 Lv	New Bern	Lv 9 00 / Ar 8 37	6 30
	6 02	James City		
	f 6 15	Riverdale	8 13 f	
	f 6 18	Croatan	8 09 f	
	6 30	Havelock	8 00	
	6 43	Newport	7 46	
	f 6 49	Wildwood	7 39 f	
	f 6 54	Atlantic	7 35 f	
	7 05	Morehead City	7 27	
		Ar Atlantic Hotel Lv		
	7 15 Ar	M. City Depot	Lv 7 05	
A.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

Train No. 9, freight, leaves Newbern at 1 30 pm, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, second-class.

Train No. 10, freight, arrives at Newbern at 10 45 am, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, second-class.

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